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Town Officers for 1921

MODERATOR

HENRY C. BROWN

SELECTMEN

HENRY C. BROWN, 1922
JOHN A. ROBINSON, 1923
JOHN H. PERKINS, 1924

TOWN CLERK AND TREASURER

JOHN J. BAKER

BOARD OF HEALTH

JAMES E. MERRILL (Executive Officer)

SUPERVISORS.

GEORGE H. ABBOTT FRANK MONTGOMERY
EUGENE W. LESLIE

POLICE OFFICERS

HARRY J. CONNELL R. T. CONNELL
JAMES E. MERRILL H. C. BROWN
ELMER F. SMITH

SUPERINTENDENT OF PARKS

FRANK A. CUMMINGS

AUDITORS

CHARLES E. CUMMINGS GEORGE H. ABBOTT

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

DR. HENRY O. SMITH GEORGE F. BLOOD
EUGENE W. LESLIE

FIRE WARDENS

A. L. SANDERS KARL CAMPBELL

STATE FOREST FIRE WARDENS

JAMES E. MERRILL
HENRY C. BROWN, Deputy
HARRY J. CONNELL, Deputy

REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GENERAL COURT

HENRY C. BROWN

TAX COLLECTOR

GEORGE E. DURIVAGE

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Hudson, N. H., in the County of Hillsborough, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

[L. S.]

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said Hudson on Tuesday, the 14th day of March next, at ten-thirty of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation for the same.

3. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the permanent improvement of highways in addition to what is now required by law to be raised, and vote to accept State Aid.

4. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the benefit of the Public Library.

5. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Memorial Day.

6. To see what provision the Town will vote to make in relation to furnishing the Town with a hearse.

7. To see what action the Town will take in regard to furnishing a voting place at Hudson Bridge, so called—by petition of James E. Parker and others.

8. To see if the Town will vote, in conjunction with the Town of Litchfield, to discontinue road leading off Cutler road, near what is known as John Benjamin Marshall place, and leading to Litchfield town line.

Given under our hands and seal, this 18th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-two.

HENRY C. BROWN,
JOHN A. ROBINSON,
J. H. PERKINS,
Selectmen of Hudson, N. H.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

HENRY C. BROWN,
JOHN A. ROBINSON,
J. H. PERKINS,
Selectmen of Hudson, N. H.

BUDGET

OF THE

TOWN OF HUDSON, N. H.

ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE ENSUING YEAR

JAN. 31, 1922 TO JAN. 31, 1923

COMPARED WITH

ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE PREVIOUS YEAR

JAN. 31, 1921 TO JAN. 31, 1922

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1921	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1922	Increase	Decrease
From State:				
Insurance Tax	$ 31.50	$ 30.00		$ 1.50
Railroad Tax	1,571.96	1,500.00		71.96
Savings Bank Tax	1,741,34	1,700 00		41.34
For Fighting Forest Fires	52.25	52.00		2.25
For Highways				
(a) For State Aid Maintenance	2,835.25	2,000,00		835.25
From Local Sources Except Taxes:				
All Licenses and Permits except Dog Licenses	1,120.80	1,000.00		120.80
Fines and Forfeits	50.00	100.00	$50.00	
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	10.00	10.00		
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	138.50	100.00		38.50
Income of Departments: Highways, Sewers, etc.	560.33	100.00		460.33
From Poll Taxes:				
1,014 at $3.00	3,042.00	3,042.00		
Revenue Applicable Only to New Construction and Improvements:				
From State:				
(a) For State Aid Highway Construction:	474.74	633.00	158.26	
(b) For Trunk Line Highway Construction	1,824.38			1,824.38
Revenue Which Must Be Paid to Other Governmental Divisions:				
974 Polls at $2.00	1,948.00	1,948.00		
Total Revenues From All Sources Except Property Taxes:	$15,401.05	$12,215.00		$3,186.05
Amount Raised by Property Taxes:	38,838.00	40,445.00	$1,607.00	
TOTAL REVENUES	$54,239.05	$52,660.00		$1,579.05

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1921	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1922	Increase	Decrease
Current Maintenance Expenses:				
General Government:				
Town Officers' Salaries	$1,155	$1,155.00		
Town Officers' Expenses	498.06	500.00	$1.94	
Water Dept.	1,584.05	1,900.00	315.95	
Care and Supplies for Town Hall	295.31	400.00	104.69	
Protection of Persons and Property:				
Police Department	1,520 12	1,800.00	279.88	
Fire Department	631.32	600.00		31.32
Water Damage	43.30			43.30
Health:				
Health Department	154.66	150.00		4.66
Vital Statistics	27.10	30.00	2.90	
Highways and Bridges:				
State Aid Maintenance				
State's Contribution	2,835.25	2,000.00		835.25
Town's Contribution	1,556.18	2,000.00	443.82	
Town Maintenance	4,139.97	4,700.00	560.03	
Street Lighting	1,116.28	1,400.00	283.72	
General Expenses of Highway Department	1,350.71	1,200.00		150.71
Education:				
Libraries	622.50	500.00		122.50
Patriotic Purposes:				
Memorial Day and Other Celebrations	25.00	25.00		
Recreation:				
Parks and Playgrounds	146.00	50.00		96.00
Public Service Enterprises:				
Cemeteries	80.50	80.00		.50
Sewer Maintenance	21.43	100.00	78.57	
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:				
Highways and Bridges:				
State Aid Construction				
Town's Contribution	1,990.11	2,532.00	541.89	
State's Contribution	474.74	633.00	158.26	
Trunk Line Construction				
State's Contribution	1,824.38			1,824.38
Town's Contribution	1,879.51			1,879.51
Sidewalk Construction	300.00	300.00		
Sewer Construction	1,319.74	1,200.00		119.74
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:				
State Taxes	6,863.50	5,800.00		1,063.50
County Taxes	2,233.11	2,223.02		10.09
Payments to School Districts	20,682.00	21.800.00	118.00	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$55,369.83	$53,078.02	$3,889.65	$6,181.46

Selectmen's Report

INVENTORY, 1921.

Real estate, resident,	$994,190.00
Real estate, non-resident,	175,665.00
Horses (229),	30,715.00
Cows (650),	42,450.00
Neat stock (54),	2,190.00
Sheep (14),	100.00
Hogs (26),	825.00
Fowl (2,207)	2,390.00
Municipal Bonds and Notes,	381,225.00
Money on hand, at interest or on deposit,	18,925.00
Stock in trade, resident,	12,655.00
Stock in trade, non-resident,	17,200.00
Mills and machinery, resident,	1,000.00
Mills and machinery, non-resident,	8,000.00
Wood and lumber, not stock in trade,	8,100.00
Total valuation,	$1,695,630.00
Amount exempt to soldiers,	7,000.00
Total valuation, less exemptions,	$1,688,630.00
Polls at $5 (974), polls at $3 (40),	4,990.00
Grand total,	$1,693,620.00

TAXES ASSESSED, AND RATE.

State tax,	$4,301.00
Special State tax, deficiency 1920,	1,138.50
County tax,	2,233.11
Highway, State Aid Construction,	1,888.00
Highway, Town Maintenance,	3,200.00
Highway, general expenses,	2,200.00
Sidewalk improvements,	300.00
Sewer construction,	853.00
Police and fire protection,	1,500.00
Library,	550.00
Memorial Day,	25.00
Town Officers' salaries,	915.00
Town Officers' expenses,	387.18
Town Hall and Selectmen's room,	75.00
Police Department,	275.00
Fire Department,	500.00
Health Department,	40.00
Vital Statistics,	35.00
Water Department,	1,635.21
Street Light Department,	1,050.00
Parks and Playgrounds,	30.00
Cemeteries,	105.00
Sewer Maintenance,	100.00
School money, 5% of equalization valuation,	7,741.00
School money, general expenses,	800.00
High School tuition,	3,500.00
Rent of I. O. O. F. room,	125.00
Superintendent's excess salary,	125.00
Domestic Science and Manual Training teachers,	500.00

School Board and Truant Officer's salary,	155.00
Part payment and interest for Webster Building addition,	6,000.00
New furniture and equipment for Webster Building addition,	500.00
Deficiency, 1920,	154.00
Superintendent's salary, 402 scholars at $2,	804.00
Total,	$43,740.00

Rate, $2.30 on a hundred.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS.

Cash in treasury, February 1, 1922,	$4,737.16
Dog licenses in hands of Town Clerk,	337.31
Due from Tax Collectors:	
1921 list,	3,928.00
1921 list, additions,	195.30
1920 list,	239.65
1919 list,	395.75
1918 list,	123.90
1917 list,	95.64
Due from J. H. Perkins for sewer rights,	50.00
Due from Walter T. Harwood for sewer rights,	50.00
Due from D. S. May for sewer rights,	50.00
	$10,202.71

REPORT OF TREASURER.

Receipts.

From John W. Plummer, State Treasurer:	
Savings Bank tax,	$1,741.34
Railroad tax,	1,571.96
Insurance tax,	31.50
Highway Department,	2,062.50
Forest Protection,	52.25
From Town Clerk:	
Dog licenses,	410.10
Motor vehicle permits,	1,120.80
Selectmen, County paupers,	890.15
Paul W. Buxton, sewer right,	50.00
Winslow L. Muir, sewer right,	50.00
Henry Harwood, sewer right,	50.00
C. M. Dwelley, sewer right,	50.00
E. D. Clement, sewer right and pipe,	58.96
Joseph Blanchett, land sold,	22.00
Municipal Court, Nashua, fines,	50.00
Rev. Matthew Creamer, use of road roller,	81.37
Town of Derry, use of road roller,	220.00
Hudson Grange, rent of Hall,	10.00
Wallace W. Rowell, refund account of highways,	20.33
Harry J. Connell, refund account of damage,	20.00
Arthur L. Joy, Collector, 1915 list,	60.68
Arthur L. Joy, Collector, 1916 list,	53.66
Arthur L. Joy, Collector, 1917 list,	4.00
Arthur L. Joy, Collector, 1918 list,	18.80
Arthur L. Joy, Collector, 1919 list,	94.73

Arthur L. Joy, interest, 1916 list,	1.80
Arthur L. Joy, interest, 1917 list,	1.60
Arthur L. Joy, interest, 1918 list,	2.20
Arthur L. Joy, interest, 1919 list,	1.37
L. A. Joy, Collector, 1920 list,	3,180.00
L. A. Joy, Collector, interest 1920 list,	47.62
George E. Durivage, Collector, 1921,	39,900.00
J. J. Baker, Treasurer, interest on deposits,	83.91
Total receipts,	$52,013.63
Cash on hand at beginning of year,	5,982.68
Grand total,	$57,996.31

PAYMENTS.

Paid John W. Plummer, State tax,	$5,439.50
John W. Plummer, State proportion of poll tax,	1,424.00
Edward H. Labine, County tax,	2,233.11
Manchester T., L. & Power Co., electrical energy consumed,	1,111.26
Hudson Water Co., water, 1921,	1,487.30
Jessie G. Wentworth, District Treasurer, dog fund,	278.00
Jessie G. Wentworth, District Treasurer, school money,	20,404.00
Edward A. Spaulding, highway appropriation and State aid,	11,673.97
Wallace W. Rowell, highway maintenance,	1,560.00
George F. Blood, library appropriation,	550.00

Charles White, Memorial Day expense,	25.00
Sewer, Fire, Police Departments, salary of Town Officers, and miscellaneous orders drawn, amounting to	7,073.01
	$53,259.15
Cash on hand February 1, 1922,	4,737.16
Grand total,	$57,996.31

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. BAKER,
Treasurer.

We certify that we have this day audited the accounts of John J. Baker, Treasurer of the Town of Hudson, and find them correct and properly vouched.

CHARLES E. CUMMINGS,
GEORGE H. ABBOTT,
Auditors.

Hudson, N. H., February 23, 1922.

PAYMENTS—DETAIL STATEMENT.

Salaries of Town Officers.

John J. Baker, Town Clerk,	$75.00
John J. Baker, Town Treasurer,	75.00
Henry C. Brown, Selectman,	175.00
John A. Robinson, Selectman,	175.00
John H. Perkins, Selectman,	175.00

George E. Durivage, Tax Collector,	400.00
Henry C. Brown, Moderator,	10.00
Charles E. Cummings, Auditor,	3.00
George H. Abbott, Auditor, 1920 and 1921,	6.00
Frank Montgomery, Supervisor,	15.00
Eugene W. Leslie, Supervisor,	15.00
George H. Abbott, Supervisor,	15.00
Harry D. Emerson, Ballot Clerk,	4.00
Robert T. Connell, Ballot Clerk,	4.00
Clara J. Brown, Ballot Clerk,	4.00
Jessie G. Wentworth, Ballot Clerk,	4.00
Total,	$1,155.00

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES.

F. E. Cole & Co., printing town reports,	$224.00
Envelopes,	11.26
Philip Morris Co., Town Clerk record book,	4.60
Annine E. White, property transfers,	12.92
E. C. Eastman, Tax Collector's books,	13.56
W. A. Farley, bonds for Trustees of Trust Funds,	14.00
Printing tax bills,	7.67
John J. Baker, fee for 160 motor vehicle licenses,	40.00
Henry C. Brown, deeds and warrants,	5.00
John J. Baker, express and postage,	13.41
Arthur L. Joy, part payment as Collector, 1920 list,	148.64
J. H. Lafayette, two negatives for pictures of Soldiers' Monument,	3.00
Total,	$498.06

Town Hall.

George P. Jarvis, sink and labor installing same at Town Hall,	$47.00
Gregg & Son, two doors,	10.50
Henry C. Brown, care of Town Hall,	5.00
F. G. Bageley & Son, installing two septic closets and rebuilding chimney,	153.31
H. N. Smith, repairing ceiling,	9.50
A. E. Gay & Co., two closets complete,	70.00
Total,	$295.31

Police Department.

Harry J. Connell, permanent officer, 44 weeks,	$1,232.00
Robert T. Connell, police service,	16.00
Elmer F. Smith, police service,	22.00
James E. Merrill, police service,	148.20
Telephone, auto hire, warrants and supplies and expenses,	101.92
Total,	$1,520.12

Fire Department.

A. L. Sanders, Fire Warden,	$50.00
Karl H. Campbell, Fire Warden,	30.00
Mercer Bros. Garage Co., set of tires for truck,	150.75
City Coal Co., 4 tons coal,	68.00
J. E. Merrill, fighting forest fires,	125.50
W. W. Rowell and Peter Noel, watching fire at Heath place,	14.00
E. D. Clement, rent of land,	25.00

N. E. T. & T. Co., service,	24.35
Gasoline, oil, shovels and miscellaneous supplies and expenses,	143.72
Total,	$631.32

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

J. E. Merrill, services and expenses as Health Officer,	$125.76
City of Nashua, 85 fumigators,	28.90
Total,	$154.66

VITAL STATISTICS.

John J. Baker, returning and recording births and deaths,	$12.85
Physicians' and clerygmen's fees,	14.25
Total,	$27.10

SEWER DEPARTMENT.

Portland Stone Ware Co., carload sewer pipe,	$359.30
Boston & Maine R. R., freight charge on above,	116.80
E. N. Sheffield, engineering service,	111.00
W. J. Harwood, labor on Ferry St. extension, supplies and expenses,	127.30
General maintenance,	21.43
Total,	$1,341.17

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS.

The Boston Regalia Co., coil of rope,	$9.00
Frank A. Cummings, labor on park one year to May 30, 1921,	15.00

W. F. Peel, 3 bags cement,	3.15
E. A. Spaulding, grading lot on library and school streets,	102.60
Frank A. Cummings, 45 hours labor on park,	11.25
Henry Bellefeum, putting new rope in flagpole,	5.00
	$146.00

Public Library.

Appropriation, to George F. Blood,	$550.00
James B. Crowley Ins. Agency, on library building,	72.50
Total,	$622.50

County Poor.

Mrs. Mat. Sargent, aid Clarence Whitten,	$16.00
St. Joseph Orphanage, aid two children of O. Bernard,	48.00
W. W. Baker, aid Mike Boloski,	10.00
Spence Dry Goods Co., aid Plunkett children,	8.25
H. C. Brown, aid W. B. Prescott,	1.50
Goodnow, Hunt, Pearson Co., aid Mrs. Kinville,	9.46
Daniels Grain & Grocery Co., aid H. J. Young,	21.89
Dr. H. O. Smith, aid Theo. Godding,	5.00
Dr. A. E. Brownrigg, aid Theo. Godding,	5.00
W. W. Baker, aid Mrs. Dorey,	255.28
Mrs. Nellie McGann, aid Mrs. Dorey,	111.00
Dr. W. G. Cain, aid Mrs. Dorey,	58.00

Dr. H. O. Smith, aid Mrs. Dorey,	15.00
Daniels Grain & Grocery Co., aid A. Gagnon family,	193.76
Daniels Grain & Grocery Co., aid J. Gora family,	94.97
J. H. Moran, aid J. Gora family,	5.14
Amherst St. Wood Yard, aid J. Gora family,	3.00
S. N. Perkins & Son, aid J. Gora family,	28.90
Total,	$890.15

Memorial Day.

Charles White,	$25.00

Cemeteries.

Arthur Thorne, mowing cemetery,	$2.50
P. L. Robeshaud & Son, hearse at 4 funerals,	24.00
Harland M. Davis, hearse at 6 funerals,	36.00
Lester P. Lund, hearse at 3 funerals,	18.00
Total,	$80.50

Abatements.

1915 and 1916 tax lists,	$110.74

Street Lighting Department.

Manchester Traction Co., lights for month of:	
February,	$93.68
March,	96.16
April,	95.25
May,	92.23
June,	90.97
July,	90.69

August,	89.99
September,	90.29
October,	92.13
November,	97.57
December,	93.37
January, 1922,	93.95
Total,	$1,116.28

Water Damage.

C. A. Daniels, damage to property by water drainage,	$43.30

Water Department.

The Chapman Valve Mfg. Co., 1 hydrant,	$57.25
The Chapman Valve Mfg. Co., 1 hydrant,	49.00
Hudson Water Co., labor putting hydrant,	17.42
Hudson Water Co., water, January 1 to April 1,	357.50
Hudson Water Co., water, April 1 to July 1,	357.50
Hudson Water Co., water, July 1 to October 1,	357.50
Hudson Water Co., water, October 1 to January 1, 1922,	384.88
E. D. Clement, watering trough,	3.00
	$1,584.05

Payment to Other Governmental Divisions.

County Treasurer, County tax,	$2,233.11
State Treasurer, State tax,	5,439.50
State Treasurer, 712 poll taxes at $2 each,	1,424.00
Total,	$9,096.61

School Department.

Jessie G. Wentworth, Treasurer, dog tax,	$278.00
Jessie G. Wentworth, Treasurer, school money,	5,000.00
Jessie G. Wentworth, Treasurer, school money,	15,404.00
Total,	$20,682.00

Highways.

Town highways,	$5,790.68
State Aid Maintenance,	1,556.18
State Aid Construction, Ferry St.,	2,398.55
State Aid Construction, Derry Road trunk line,	3,493.87
Total,	$13,239.28
Grand total,	$53,259.15

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

Town Highways.

Total appropriation, including general expenses and sidewalks,		$5,700.00
State Aid Construction, Ferry St., overdrawn,		90.68
Labor:		
Snow bills, previous year,	$100.00	
General labor, current year,	3,701.94	

Material and Supplies:	
One heavy four-horse road machine and one light two-horse road machine,	492.00
Working tools, coal for roller, payments for gravel and miscellaneous supplies and expenses,	229.05
Total of above,	$4,522.99

Practically all roads scraped early in the spring.

650 feet heavy fill permanent road built in heretofore particularly bad place near Elmer Winn's.

600 feet permanent road built on Central Street, near Congregational Church.

Remainder of work on Town highways has necessarily been confined to patching and temporary repairs.

Bridges and Culverts.

Labor:	
Current year,	$479.00
Material:	
Posts, rails, planks, spikes, etc.	541.57
Metal culverts,	88.09
Total of above,	$1,108.66

Belknap Brook bridge rebuilt, new stringers and new plank.

Hadley Brook bridge rebuilt, new stringers and new plank.

About forty smaller bridges and culverts either wholly or partly rebuilt and cleaned out.

Balance of work on bridges and culverts has consisted principally in putting up guard rails.

State Aid Construction, Ferry St., overdrawn,	$90.68	
Grand total,		$5,722.33
Balance unexpended,		$68.35

State Aid Construction—Derry Road Trunk Line.

Appropriation.	State.	Town.	Total.
Balance, 1920 ...	$1,825.50	$1,880.64	$3,706.14
1921 ...	0	0	0
Expended	210.02	3,493.87	3,703.89
Cash from State..	1,614.36	1,614.36	1,614.36
Total	$1,824.38	$1,879.51	$3,703.89
Balance	1.12	1.13	2.25

2,400 feet heavy fill permanent road completed at an average cost of $1.53 per foot. About 1.1 mile left to carry same to Londonderry line.

State Aid Construction—Ferry Street.

Appropriation.	State.	Town.	Total.
Balance, 1920 ...	$2.74	$10.97	$13.71
1921 ...	472.00	1,888.50	2,360.50
Total	$474.74	$1,899.47	$2,374.21

Expended	66.30	2,398.55	2,464.85
Cash from State..	408.44	408.44	408.44
Total	$474.74	$1,990.11	$2,464.85
Overdrawn	.....	$90.64	$90.64

1,000 feet extra heavy fill permanent road completed.

State Aid Maintenance.

Appropriation.	State.	Town.	Total.
Balance, 1920 ...	$323.47	$323.47	$646.94
1921 ...	1,175.00	1,175.00	2,350.00
Extra	1,336.78	.....	1,336.78
Total	2,835.25	$1,498.47	$4,333.72
Expended	2,835.25	1,556.18	4,391.43
Refund from Barrett Co. & Rowell	.....	60.03	60.03
Balance	.....	$2.32	$2.32

All State road coated with tarvia, and patrolman on duty during summer.

Highway Machinery and Tools.

1 Steam roller.
2 Road Graders.
1 Heavy, four-horse road machine.
1 Light, two-horse road machine.
1 Gravel screen.
1 Sidewalk snow plow.

1 Breaking-up plow.
1 Swivel plow.
1 Two-horse dump scraper.
1 Two-horse stone boat.
1 Heavy cable chain, 17 feet.
2 Crow bars.
12 Shovels.
Drill steel and drills.
1 Rake.
1 Hoe.
4 Potato hooks.
2 Stone picks.
1 Grub hoe.
1 Buck saw.
1 Axe.
1 Pair rubber boots.
1 Lantern.
1 Branding iron, for marking Town property.

On taking up the highway work a year ago, I found, of course, a great many things which needed attention. Many pieces of Town road were badly in need of repairs and it was necessary to spend considerable money for tools and machinery before starting work in the spring. The road machine, which had served for about twenty-five years, was depreciated beyond repair and a new heavy duty machine and a new lighter machine were purchased; also extensive repairs had to be made to the steam roller and almost a complete set of smaller working tools had to be purchased.

One thing which I found to be in particularly bad condition was the bridges and culverts, and on account of the element of danger in this connection, I deemed it advis-

able to give same preferred attention and, as will be noted from the foregoing report, a comparatively large proportion of the appropriation for Town roads was used for urgent repairs and renewal of bridges and culverts.

Respectfully submitted,

E. A. SPAULDING,
Highway Agent.

HENRY C. BROWN,
JOHN A. ROBINSON,
JOHN H. PERKINS,
Selectmen.

February 23, 1922.

We certify that we have this day audited the foregoing accounts of the Selectmen and Highway Agent of the Town of Hudson and find same to be correct and properly vouched.

CHARLES E. CUMMINGS,
GEORGE H. ABBOTT,
Auditors.

Trust Funds

TRUST FUNDS.	HOW INVESTED.	Amount of Principal.	Rate of interest.	Balance of income on hand at beginning of year.	Income during year.	Expended during year.	Balance of income on hand at end of year.
John Foster Fund	State of New Hamp. War Loan Bonds	$5,000.00	4½%	$565.64	$247.60	$225.00	$588.24
Floyd Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	427.39	4%	78.68	17.08	.....	95.76
A. J. Greeley Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	500.00	4%	20.22	20.00	6.58	33.64
Armory Burnham Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	4.11	4.00	2.98	5.13
George W. Kuhn Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	75.00	4%	6.80	3.00	2.00	7.80
Martha Pollard Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	11.28	4.00	2.00	13.28
Charles H. Newcomb Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	.....	4.00	4.00	.....
William F. Chase Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	11.28	4.00	2.00	13.28
David O. Smith Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	4.12	4.00	3.37	4.75
George W. Hazelton Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	4.02	4.00	3.63	4.39
Eli Hamblett Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	4.01	4.00	3.42	4.59
Susan B. Butterick Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	200.00	4%	30.34	8.00	2.00	36.34
Daniel M. Greeley Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	200.00	4%	8.00	8.00	6.55	9.45
William H. Taylor Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	4.08	4.00	3.07	5.01
Martha A. Steele Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	6.88	4.00	1.65	9.23
Mahala Greeley Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	4.00	4.00	2.81	5.19
Ellen B. Shaw Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	17.54	4.00	.....	21.54
Dana Sargent Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	.79	4.00	4.00	.79
David Sullivan Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	8.04	4.00	3.00	9.04

Elizabeth Steele Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	75.00	4%	.07	3.00	3.00	.07
Ellenette Holland Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	1,000.00	4%	62.58	40.00	19.80	82.78
Vinnie Blodgett Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	150.00	4%	23.08	6.00	2.00	27.08
Sarah C. Leviston Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	500.00	4%	21.71	20.00	35.50	6.21
John H. Field Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	9.54	4.00	2.50	11.04
John Chase Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	12.33	4.00	4.00	12.33
Frank M. Winn Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	1.00	4.00	4.00	1.00
James Emery Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	4.06	4.00	3.00	5.06
Kimball Webster Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	150.00	4%	1.50	6.00	6.00	1.50
Tolford D. Melvin Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	200.00	4%	8.05	8.00	8.23	7.82
Thomas Foley Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	6.00	4.00	3.00	7.00
Robert Gordon Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	1.67	4.00	4.00	1.67
Simon French Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	1.00	4.00	1.62	3.38
David Lonergan Fund	U. S. Liberty Bonds	100.00	4¼%	3.20	4.24	3.00	4.44
Mary A. Steele Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	200.00	4%	8.00	8.00	8.60	7.40
John A. Robinson Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	75.00	4%	5.08	3.00	.....	8.08
Noah Robinson Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	1.28	4.04	4.43	.89
Robert A. Andrews Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	100.00	4%	2.67	4.00	.....	6.67
Sarah L. Davis Fund	Nashua Trust Co., Savings Dept.	150.00	4%	1.00	6.00	4.00	3.00
Alfred K. Hills Fund	U. S. Liberty Bonds & Nashua Trust Co.	5,000.00	4¼&4%	.....	8.42	.....	8.42

THE FOSTER FUND.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE.

To cash on hand, Feb. 1, 1921,	$318.66	
Received from trustees of trust funds,	225.00	
Received interest on bank deposit,	7.36	
		$551.02
Paid to beneficiaries,		105.00
Balance on hand, January 31, 1922,		$446.02

HENRY O. SMITH,
JOHN J. BAKER,
CHARLES E. CUMMINGS,
Committee.

February 24, 1922.

We certify that we have this day examined the accounts of Eugene W. Leslie, Treasurer of the Trust funds of the Town of Hudson, N. H., and find same to be correct and properly vouched.

GEORGE H. ABBOTT.
CHARLES E. CUMMINGS,
Auditors.

TWENTY-NINTH

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Trustees, Treasurer and Librarian

OF THE

PUBLIC LIBRARY

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

JANUARY 31, 1922

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

GEORGE F. BLOOD,	Term Expires March, 1922
HENRY O. SMITH,	Term Expires March, 1923
ELIZA B. LESLIE,	Term Expires March. 1924

MARY N. ABBOTT, Librarian

Hills Memorial Library

Report of Trustees.

Once more we chronicle a gift from the late Dr. Alfred Kimball Hills to the town of Hudson. Under the terms of his will the sum of five thousand dollars has been presented to the town, to be held in perpetuity and the income to be used in the purchase of books to be added to the library. This sum has been invested by the trustees of trust funds in liberty bonds and the first semi-annual interest will soon be available. In this munificent manner Dr. Hills has provided for a steady increase in the value of the collection of books housed in the beautiful structure he erected.

During the past year books and magazines have been presented by Mrs. Jessie Norwell Hills, Mrs. Creutzborg, Miss Helen Norwell, Mrs. Anabel Andrews, Mrs. Jennie French, Miss Mittie Baker, and others.

GEORGE F. BLOOD,
HENRY O. SMITH,
ELIZA B. LESLIE,
Library Trustees.

Treasurer's Report, February 1, 1922.

Your Treasurer herewith submits the following annual report:

Dr.

To cash on hand, February 1, 1921,	$205.48
Town appropriation,	550.00
Fines received,	23.62
	$779.10

Cr.

A. R. Jefferson (repairs lock and key),	$3.20
A. G. Barker (sawing wood),	3.00
Courier Pub. Co. (supplies),	7.34
Fred G. Steele (3 cords wood),	36.00
Gaylord Brothers (supplies),	3.95
The Dura Binding Co. (rebinding books),	48.65
W. A. Shedd & Co. (4 tons coal),	63.00
Greeg & Son (repairing lawn mower),	2.25
Envelopes,	.57
Geo. P. Jarvis (repairing toilets),	2.10
Hudson Water Co. (water),	21.00
Mary N. Abbott (librarian),	120.00
F. A. Cummings (janitor),	175.00
Hill Brothers (trimming vines),	4.00
George Barrie's Sons (book),	6.00
The Standard Book Co. (books),	3.85
W. P. Goodman (books),	19.59
Courier Pub. Co. (cards),	4.57
Mary N. Abbott (cleaning library),	12.78
Fred G. Steele (6 cords wood),	66.00
A. G. Barker (sawing wood),	9.00

W. R. Peterson & Co., (floor brush),	3.25
W. P. Goodman (books),	62.15
Philip Morris & Co. (books),	13.25
	$690.50
Cash on hand, January 31, 1922,	$88.60

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE F. BLOOD,
Treasurer.

Librarian's Report.

Number of bound volumes, Feb. 1, 1921,	6,676
Number of volumes added by purchase,	69
Number of volumes added by gift,	23
Federal, State and Town documents,	2
Total,	6,770
Number of magazines currently received,	15
Number of non-fiction loaned,	385
Number of fiction,	4,959
Number of juvenile fiction,	2.640
Total circulation for current year,	7,984
Number of new borrowers,	74
Cash for fines,	$23.62

Respectfully submitted,

MARY N. ABBOTT,
Librarian.

HILLS FARM CEMETERY.

Dr.

To deposit and interest in Nashua Trust Co., January 1, 1921,	$606.68
To interest due, January 1, 1922,	33.86
To U. S. Liberty Bonds ($1,500) cost,	1,388.77
To interest on Bonds,	63.75
To bequest of Alfred K. Hills,	1,000.00
	$3,093.06

Cr.

By U. S. Liberty Bonds ($1,500) cost,	$1,388.77
By deposit and interest in Nashua Trust Co., January 1, 1922,	1,602.79
By amount paid Pearl T. Thomas, labor, fertilizer and loam,	89.90
By amount paid George A. Pratt, labor, mowing cemetery,	11.60
	$3,093.06

JOHN J. BAKER,
Treasurer.

Hudson, N. H., February 23, 1922.

We certify that we have this day examined the accounts of John J. Baker, treasurer of the Hills Farm Cemetery Fund, and find them correct.

CHARLES E. CUMMINGS,
GEORGE H. ABBOTT,
Auditors.

Thirty-Seventh Annual Report

OF THE

BOARD OF EDUCATION

OF THE

School District of Hudson

FOR THE

Year Ending February 15, 1922

DISTRICT OFFICERS

MODERATOR

HENRY C. BROWN

CLERK

JESSIE G. WENTWORTH

TREASURER

JESSIE G. WENTWORTH

AUDITORS

JOHN J. BAKER EUGENE W. LESLIE

BOARD OF EDUCATION

ROY J. HONEYWELL	Term Expires March, 1922
HENRY C. BROWN	Term Expires March, 1923
HENRY O. SMITH	Term Expires March, 1924

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the Inhabitants of the School District of the Town of Hudson qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall, in said district, on the twenty-first day of March, 1922, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1st. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.

2nd. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.

3rd. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.

4th. To choose a member of the school board for the ensuing three years.

5th. To choose agents, auditors and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

6th. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for building, repairing or furnishing school houses or to in any way keep in repair or improve the school property of the district.

7th. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for schools in addition to the amount required by law.

8th. To see what sum the district will vote to pay its school officers the ensuing year, also truant officer.

Given under our hands at said Hudson the twenty-first day of February, 1922.

HENRY C. BROWN,
HENRY O. SMITH,
ROY J. HONEYWELL,
School Board of Hudson, N. H.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ROY J. HONEYWELL,
HENRY C. BROWN,
HENRY O. SMITH,
School Board of Hudson, N. H.

SCHOOL REPORT.

To the Citizens of Hudson:

Last year in our annual report we felt it necessary to give especial emphasis to two facts—the great increase in the number of pupils attending the schools of the District, and the failure of the State to bear a large share of the expense of school maintenance which until the middle of the school year the Board had reasonably expected to be a state charge under the school law then in force. Under these conditions you made provision for the enlargement

of the Webster School building and made special appropriations to cover items in the budget disallowed by state authorities. A similar, though less extreme, condition exists at the present time. The number of pupils in our schools is greater even than our estimate of a year ago, and some of our school rooms are seriously crowded. State authorities have informed us that no larger budget will be approved for next year than is allowed for the present year. These facts mean that additional class rooms should be put in condition for use and that the natural increase in general expense of our schools must be borne by the District.

A large addition has been built and other extensive improvements have been made to the Webster School building. This provides for four new class rooms, two of which were finished and are in use. It also provides additional basement space, enlarges the room used for the teaching of Domestic Arts, and adds heating, sanitary, and other improvements of great value. Some difficulties have been met in matters of heating, ventilation, and drainage; but the work is still in charge of your pains-taking and competent Building Committee and we expect that every effort will be made to render the entire plant as nearly satisfactory in every particular as is possible. The members of the committee deserve the deepest gratitude of the people of the District for the conscientious thoroughness with which they have done their work. When the building was dismantled many of the old window shades were destroyed. No funds were available to replace them nor to curtain the many new windows, so only a few have protection from the sun till adequate provision can be made. We may have shown a lack of foresight in these and similar matters, but we mention them here in order that they may not again be over-

looked. We recommend that at least one of the unfinished class rooms in the Webster School be put in condition for use next September. It may be a true economy for both to be finished at once.

After the beginning of the school year it was found to be desirable to discontinue School No. 7. An arrangement, satisfactory to parents and teacher, was made which we feel will be to the advantage of the pupils and an economy to the District.

Now that the No. 9 and Webster Schools have been put in good condition, we recommend that the District at an early date turn its attention to improving the other school buildings.

The interest manifested by both parents and pupils in the teaching of Domestic and Manual Arts seems to justify the continuation of this work. We recommend that adequate appropriation be made to provide for instruction in these subjects, but our schools are deficient in many of the more common furnishings which cannot be provided from the ordinary appropriations.

With due regard both to the principles of economy and efficiency, we submit the following estimates:

Additional sum of money for the support of the public schools,	$12,200.00
For purchase of text books and supplies,	1,000.00
For purchase of flags and appurtenances,	25.00
For payment of note,	5,000.00
For payment of interest,	875.00
For paying teachers and other expenses of instruction in Manual and Domestic Arts,	500.00
For insurance,	600.00

For payment of excess salary of Superintendent,	250.00
For payment of tuition of pupils in high schools,	4,000.00
For payment of per capita tax, 402 pupils,	804.00

ROY J. HONEYWELL,
HENRY C. BROWN,
HENRY O. SMITH,
School Board of Hudson.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the School Board of Hudson.

Gentlemen:

Herewith I submit my third annual report as superintendent of your schools, and to it I have attached a report from your school nurse.

Attendance.

The enrollment in your schools is steadily increasing. A year ago I reported the average membership for the school year preceding as 282. For the year ending June 30, 1921, it was 298. At the present time the enrollment in your schools is as follows: No. 1, 10, No. 9, 24, Center, 54, and at the Webster School, 230, total 318. Your average attendance at the high school in Nashua was, last year, 28, while this year it is 53. This increased high school attendance is partly due to the fact that your pupils were promoted to the high school last June from both the

Nashua Junior High School and from the Hudson schools. The attendance of your pupils at the junior high in Nashua has, because of this fact, decreased by 15. This may or may not be a little larger increase in attendance than should be expected as the normal yearly growth. Much will, of course, depend upon the general business prosperity of Nashua. We must be prepared to meet the conditions as they arise, whatever they may be.

The per cent of attendance in the schools for the past year has risen to 89% from 88% for the preceding year. However, since last September the attendance has been very poor, unreasonably poor, showing a lack of a sense of responsibility on the part of some of the parents. The main responsibility for the physical, moral, spiritual, and educational welfare of the child still rests, as it should rest, on the parents. A democratic community cannot, however, view with complacency the neglect of any child in any of these respects, otherwise seeds will be sown which in their harvest will cause the desintegration of organized society. A dangerously large number, and as it seems to me, an increasing number of parents are disregarding their responsibilities in these matters. The school and the church are blamed by them for any shortcomings in the moral, spiritual, or educational welfare of the child, while the physical well-being receives little if any attention from either the parent or society. It is not infrequent that a parent neglects, if not actually refuses, to send his child to school because of the fancied lack of some slight accommodation in transportation, or some disagreement or disaffection in the school room. This ought not to be so, but being true, it adds an ever increasing burden upon school officials.

Housing.

The school district at its last meeting very wisely provided for increased accommodations at the Webster School. The two new rooms, the more commodious domestic arts room, the improved heating, lighting, and sanitary arrangements put your school plant at the Bridge in a more satisfactory condition.

The two unfinished rooms should be prepared for occupancy at a very early date. The present enrollment in the Webster school averages over 38 pupils per room. The same increase another year that we have had the past year will render imperative the opening of another room.

I feel that a few hundred dollars could be expended to good advantage on the Center school building in improving the heating and other accommodations. At present the housing conditions of these two buildings are not comparable.

Junior High.

Last September was the first time that Hudson has sent to the Nashua High School pupils instructed in junior high subjects. The present arrangement for the instruction of Hudson pupils at the Nashua High will doubtless continue for a period of years, Nashua being willing. Under these circumstances it will be incumbent upon Hudson to keep pace with the Nashua Junior High School. At present we are attempting to do the same work except that we are not offering commercial subjects. The omission of these subjects does not at this time interfere with our pupils electing any course in the Nashua High. Our pupils are as a class doing very creditable work in that school.

I wish to present to you, without recommendation, the following facts. Nashua with its population of 30,000

consolidates in one building its junior high schools. We are attempting to do the work of these grades in the Webster School, at the Center, and in the outside schools, whenever it is called for.

Teachers.

Of your twelve teachers, regular and special, five are occupying the same positions that they filled last year and two have been transferred from the outside schools to the Webster School. You have hired four new regular teachers and one special as follows: Mrs. Celia Donovan, a Lowell Normal graduate of several years of successful experience, Miss Emma Butler, a Keene Normal graduate of successful experience, Miss Anna Molloy, a Keene Normal graduate, Miss Ruth Blamy, a teacher of some experience and training, and Mrs. Laura Miller, a housekeeper of experience, in charge of the domestic arts. Without making any comparisons, I feel that you have been very fortunate in filling your vacant positions. The work as a whole is being done in a very satisfactory manner.

The part time of a teacher in music and of a teacher of art could be used to advantage.

Extract from Statistics for School Year 1920-1921.

Whole number of schools maintained,	10
Number of teaching positions,	12
Number of different teachers employed,	12
Annual average salary of regular teachers,	$836.19
Number of different pupils registered,	366
Average membership of all schools,	298
Average attendance in all schools,	263
Per cent of attendance,	89

Enrollment of pupils by grade: first, 66; second, 49; third, 57; fourth, 45; fifth, 42, sixth, 42; seventh, 37; eighth, 28.

Total number attending high schools or academies out of town, 44

Number promoted to next grade, from grade one, 38; from two, 39; from three, 42; from four, 32; from five, 32; from six, 32; from seven, 28; from eight, 21.

Number in grade at end of the year not promoted, in grade one, 12; in two, 39; in three, 8; in four, 4; in five, 4; in six, 4; in seven, 5; in eight, 1.

Number of pupils enrolled between 5 and 8 years of age, 74; between 8 and 14, 209; between 14 and 16, 29; over 16, 2.

Number not absent or tardy, 6

Number of cases of tardiness, 1,244

The following extract is taken from the report of your school nurse, Mrs. Maude H. Priske.

	No. cases found by examiner.	No. cases treated since last examination.
Malnutrition,	12	
Defective vision,	10	8
Defective hearing,	2	
Skin disease,	2	
Pediculosis,	14	
Orthopedic defects,	2	
Defective teeth,	124	40
Hypertrophied tonsils,	89	10
Other defects,	2	
Unvaccinated without proper excuse,	51	

This shows too large a number with defective vision, defective teeth, and hypertrophied tonsils.

As the efficiency of the citizen is largely dependent upon his health, I believe the remedying of these defects in school children will become more and more a matter of public concern.

With an expression of appreciation of the consideration shown me by the board, this report is

Respectfully submitted,

LOUIS DEWITT RECORD,
Superintendent of Schools, Union No. 27.

February 18, 1922.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

For the Fiscal Year September 1, 1920, to June 30, 1921.

Receipts.

From:

Town Treasurer,	$11.607.55	
Dog licenses,	278 00	
State money,	7,545.10	
Tuition rebate,	758.80	
Tuition from Windham,	36.00	
Tickets sold,	6.21	
Manual Training material sold	16.60	
Interest on deposits,	77.10	
Cash on hand, September 1, 1920,	766.64	
		$21,092.00

EXPENDITURES.

Teachers' salaries,	$9,567.50	
Superintendent's excess salary,	137.50	
Salaries of District Officers,	155.00	
Expenses of District Officers,	81.72	
Books,	458.81	
Supplies,	565.19	
Flags,	28.99	
Janitor service,	711.50	
Water, light and janitors' supplies,	72.97	
Fuel,	951.56	
Minor repairs and expenses,	503.99	
Alterations, No. 9 Building,	401.86	
Medical inspection,	297.00	
Transportation,	1,065.20	
High School tuition,	3,351.78	
Elementary School Tuition,	30.00	
Insurance,	396.00	
State tax,	804.00	
Rent.	150.00	
		19,730.57
Balance on hand (Transportation money),		$1,361.43

TEACHERS' SALARIES.

WEBSTER SCHOOL.

Paid Mrs. Christine Scott,	$1,008.00
Miss Hattie Dary,	936.00

Miss Catherine Cahill,	900.00
Miss Christina Lowney,	900.00
Miss Laura Bradley,	900.00
Miss Jessie G. Wentworth,	613.00
Miss Bertha Clyde,	122.50
Miss A. N. Dary,	174.00

CENTRE SCHOOL.

Miss Lilla Deering,	936.00
Miss Florence Parker,	792.00

No. 9 SCHOOL.

Miss Cecilia Cleary,	792.00

No. 7 SCHOOL.

Miss Doris Lovejoy,	630.00

No. 1 SCHOOL.

Miss Catherine O'Brien,	864.00
	$9,567.50

SUPERINTENDENT'S EXCESS SALARY.

Paid Bertha Campbell, Treasurer, Superindent District,	$137.50

SALARIES OF DISTRICT OFFICERS.

Paid School Board:

H. C. Brown,	$25.00
R. J. Honeywell,	25.00

H. O. Smith,	25.00
Paid Truant Officer:	
F. A. Cummings,	50.00
Paid Treasurer:	
J. G. Wentworth,	30.00
	$155.00

EXPENSES OF ADMINISTRATION.

Paid S. M. Spencer Mfg. Co., badge,	$1.28
Bertha Campbell, Treasurer,	13.75
H. C. Brown, postage, warrants, etc.	5.00
E. C. Eastman, record books,	27.20
J. G. Wentworth, postage, etc.,	4.76
Speare Dry Goods, diploma ribbon,	3.08
L. D. Record, telephone charges,	2.15
H. O. Smith,	4.50
I. O. O. F. Building Association, rent of hall for two school meetings,	20.00
	$81.72

BOOKS.

Paid D. Appleton & Co.,	$3.75
Little, Brown Co.,	27.81
Benjamin H. Sanborn,	14.42
World Book Co.,	41.91
Silver, Burdette Co.,	40.06

E. E. Babb,	44.04
Charles E. Merrill,	32.85
American Book Co.,	84.57
Arlo Publishing Co.,	35.30
Harvard University Press,	1.20
Allyn & Bacon,	16.21
Ginn & Co.,	87.75
D. C. Heath & Co.,	28.94
	$458.81

SUPPLIES.

Paid H. C. Brown, express,	$0.85
Phillip Morris, Hect. Ink,	.50
E. E. Babb,	81.45
J. L. Hammett,	92.05
W. R. Peterson,	4.57
Cummings Bros., filing saws,	3.45
C. H. Avery, garbage pail,	2.00
F. D. Cook, lumber,	49.99
Ryan & Buker, maps,	2.63
F. E. Cole, report cards,	7.00
F. A. Cummings, cartage,	1.25
Nashua G. & C. Paper Co.,	55.32
Milton Bradley Co.,	260.22
Daniels Grocery Co., Domestic Science material,	3.91
	$565.19

FLAGS AND APPURTENANCES.

Paid Boston Regalia Co., 3 flags,	$28.11
Hill Hardware Co., rope,	.33
H. C. Brown, express,	.55
	$28.99

JANITOR SERVICE.

Webster School:	
Paid F. A. Cummings,	$500.00
Centre School:	
Paid Lilla Deering,	45.00
Florence Parker,	45.00
No. 9 School:	
Paid Cecilia Cleary,	40.50
No. 7 School:	
Paid Doris Lovejoy,	40.50
No. 1 School:	
Paid Catherine O'Brien,	40.50
	$711.50

WATER, LIGHT AND JANITORS' SUPPLIES.

Paid Manchester Traction Co., light,	$12.70
Hudson Water Co., water,	35.00
Henry C. Doughty, dust eradicator,	16.62
F. A. Cummings, cartage of eradicator,	.75
George Durivage, cartage of eradicator,	1.43
W. W. Baker, soap, brooms, etc.,	6.47
	$72.97

FUEL.

Paid	Floyd Durivage, sawing wood,	$0.50
	W. A. Shedd & Co., coal,	161.09
	Alphonse Lee, 4½ cords wood,	43.50
	Joseph Lamson, 1 cord wood,	5.50
	George N. Dooley, sawing wood,	7.75
	L. W. Smith, 1 cord wood,	4.00
	Charles Parker, sawing wood,	5.50
	James Parker, sawing wood,	7.50
	H. B. Kenrick, 4½ cords wood,	52.00
	Henry Morey, 3 cords wood,	45.00
	Proctor Bros., wood,	3.00
	Fred G. Steele, 17 cords wood,	204.00
	J. E. Harvey, sawing wood,	12.00
	R. G. Groves, 10 cords, 3 feet wood,	91.13
	J. H. Melvin, 1 cord wood,	6.50
	E. H. Spaulding, sawing and housing,	6.75
	W. H. Shedd,	160.00
	Edwin Rowell, sawing,	1.50
	Manchester Traction Co., gas,	67.09
	H. C. Brown, cash paid for 7 cords wood,	61.25
		$951.56

MINOR REPAIRS AND EXPENSES.

Paid	Emma Robinson, cleaning No. 7,	$4.00
	H. C. Brown, freight,	12.52
	G. W. Bryant, setting seats,	11.00
	G. W. Bryant, labor on steps,	3.00

C. H. Avery, float,	.85
C. H. Avery, cleaning heater,	8.00
C. H. Avery, waste basket,	1.50
American Seating Co.,	226.68
H. C. Brown, cement,	14.85
A. A. Jeannotte, curtains,	46.50
Holbrook Marshall,	5.50
Ella Rowell, cleaning No. 9,	5.00
H. C. Brown, lumber for benches,	5.50
H. N. Smith,	159.09
	$503.99

ALTERATIONS OF NO. 9 BUILDING.

Appropriation,	$400.00
Paid H. N. Smith,	$370.60
American Seating Co., blackboard,	28.50
H. C. Brown, freight,	2.76
	$401.86

MEDICAL INSPECTION.

Paid Mrs. Maude H. Priske, services,	$297.00

TRANSPORTATION.

Paid Nashua St. Ry. Co., tickets,	$793.60
Manchester St. Ry., tickets,	27.50

Mass. & N. E. St. Ry., tickets,	205.50
Ida S. Benson,	36.00
Gladys C. Hardy,	2.60
	$1,065.20

HIGH SCHOOL AND ACADEMY TUITION.

Balance on hand,	$766.64
Appropriation,	1,800.00
Rebate from State,	758.80
	$3,325.44
Paid City of Lowell, balance,	$3.08
Gerry Parker,	55.00
Pinkerton Academy,	70.00
City of Nashua:	
29 High School pupils,	2,114.00
22 Junior High School pupils,	1,109.70
	$3,351.78

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TUITION.

Paid School District of Londonderry, 4 pupils, 14 weeks,	$30.00

INSURANCE.

Appropriation,		$400.00
Paid W. A. Farley:		
Centre Building,	$80.00	
Webster Building,	300.30	
James B. Crowley,	16.00	
		396.00
Balance on hand,		$4.00
Paid State Treasurer, tax,		$804.00
I. O. O. F. Bldg. Association, rent,		150.00

MUSIC FUND.

Balance on hand September 1, 1920,		$9.07
Interest,		.36
Amount on hand June 30, 1921,		$9.43
Income of Lucinda W. Floyd Fund:		
Balance on hand September 1, 1920,	$3.16	
Interest,	.12	
Amount on hand June 30, 1921,		$3.28

JESSIE G. WENTWORTH,
Treasurer.

Hudson, N. H., July 13, 1921.

We certify we have examined the accounts of Jessie G. Wentworth, Treasurer of the School District of Hudson, and find them correct and properly vouched.

JOHN J. BAKER,
EUGENE W. LESLIE,
Auditors.

Vital Statistics

Births registered in the Town of Hudson for the year ending December 31, 1921.

Date of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex	Living or Stillborn	No. of Child	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 4	Muriel Ivy Long	F	L	....	W	Asmond Long	Pearl Irene Simpson	Machinist	Bradford Eng.	Aspen, Colorado
Feb. 3	Dirk L. VanderVoet	M	L	2	W	Dirk VanderVoet	Martha A. Jones	Clergyman	Holland	Lawrence, Mass.
Feb. 21	..... Kinirlle	,,	L	15	W	Antoine J. Kirnirlle	Rose Dufrey	Laborer	Douglas N. Y.	Chesterfield, N. Y.
Feb. 26	Paul Emile Soucy	,,	L	7	W	Auguste Soucy	Rosanna Hudon	Farmer	Canada	Canada
Mar. 14	Barbara Snyder	F	L	4	W	Leon J. Snyder	Ruby P. Holbrook	R. R. Brakeman	Burlington, Vt.	Nashua, N. H.
Mar. 16	Raymond M. Richard	M	L	1	W	Albert Richard	Yronne Leclere	Laborer	Nashua, N. H.	Canada
Mar. 22	Lorraine L. Knight	F	L	2	W	George C. Knight	Eva Richard	Mill Hand	Hollis, N. H.	Nashua, N. H.
Mar. 24	Lucille Olive Barrett	,,	L	1	W	Alfred Barrett	Helen Moriarty	Laborer	Nashua, N. H.	,, ,,
Ap 3	Frederick L. Gowing	M	L	3	W	Edward E. Gowing	Josephine A. Donally	Farmer	Hudson, N. H.	Hudson, N. H.
Apr. 4	Irene Alice Beland	F	L	3	W	Rosario Beland	Evangeline Anctil	Carpenter	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Apr. 24	Dallas A. Marcley	,,	L	2	W	Frank Marcley	Helen R. Kinirlle	Laborer	Italy	Douglass. N. Y.
May 5	Lorette R. Richard	F	L	9	W	Alphonse Richard	Marie Lami	Chauffeur	Canada	Centreville, Mich.
May 10	Arthur David Vignola	M	L	....	W	Joseph Vignola	Elmira Normano	Farmer	,,	Lowell.
June 21	Adam Kristopowicz	,,	L	6	W	Frank Kristopowicz	Fannie Weitrill	Farmer	Poland	Poland
June 22	Henri Gagne	,,	L	3	W	Alfred Gagne	Roseanna Arpin	N. M. Co.	Canada	Canada
July 9	Marion E. Eaton	F	L	3	W	Albert H. Eaton	Eva R. Smith	Carpenter	North Reading Mass	Hudson, N. H.
July 27	Marie Cecile Gendron	,,	L	5	W	Joseph P. Gendron	Alma Paul	Laborer	Canada	New Hampshire
Aug. 9	Edward F. Reynolds Jr.	M	L	3	W	Edward F. Reynolds	Mary Burnham	Teamster	Bedford, N. H.	Limrick, Ireland
Aug. 19	Doris B. Consigney	F	L	1	W	Jean B. Consigney	Agnes Gaudette	Laborer	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Sept. 23	Lois Irene Burns	,,	L	8	W	John C. Burns	Nida Schnider	Laborer	St. Paul, Minn.	Bedford, N. H.
Sept. 25	Maida Barbara Kimball	,,	L	1	W	Samuel L. R. Kimball	Pearl A. McGee	Farmer	Nashua, N. H.	Manitoba, Can.
Oct. 4	Corrine E. Brown	,,	L	3	W	Charles D. Brown	Lillian V. Dichard	Cigar Maker	,,	Nashua, N. H.
Oct. 19	Charles A. Pratt	M	L	4	W	George A. Pratt	Lillian M. Wade	C. S. Employee	Boston, Mass.	Brockton, Mass.
Oct. 31	Robert D. McCoy	,,	L	2	W	Hermon R. McCoy	Ethel A. Woodard	Mechanic	Hudson, N. H.	Nashua, N. H.
Nov. 12	Phillip G. Dooley	,,	L	5	W	George N. Dooley	Ella W. Hadley	Farmer	Londonderry, N. H.	Lancaster, Mass.
Nov. 25	Marie T. R. Briand	F	L	4	W	Etinne Briand	Lodoiska Lavoie	Box Maker	Canada	Canada
Nov. 27	..... Boucher	,,	L	8	W	Antoine Boucher	Alexandena Leclaire	Teamster	,,	Washington, D. C.
Dec. 3	Jeannette C. Bourden	,,	L	4	W	Charles Bourdon	Rose Gagnon	Laborer	Mass.	New Hampshire
Dec. 6	Lillian Marie Desaw	,,	L	4	W	Frank Desaw	Lena 'oon	Brakeman	Champlain, N. Y.	Plattsburg, N. Y.
Dec. 13	Ernest R. Gagnon	M	L	14	W	Eugene Gagnon	Clara Sinis	Farmer	Canada	Canada
Dec. 15	George Martin	,,	L	3	W	Moise Martin	Marie Pelletier	Farmer	,,	France
Dec. 15	Remon Martin	,,	L	4	W	..... "	..... "	Farmer	,,	,,
Dec. 16	Peter Paroloski	,,	L	7	W	Anthony Paroloski	Nadja Belchico	Shoe Operative	Russia	Russia
Dec. 31	Arthur Louis Bourdon	,,	L	4	W	George Bourdon	Eva Gagnon	Farmer	Mass.	New Hampshire

Marriages Registered in the Town of Hudson for the year ending December 31, 1921

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Number of Marriage	Name, residence and offficial station of person by whom married
Jan. 29	Nashua	Robert A. Andrew	Hudson	18	Butcher	Hudson	1st	Rev. Geo. Edward Brown Hudson
		Violet Dorherty	Nashua	17	At Home	Nashua	1st	
Feb. 21	Nashua	Treffle Choquette	Hudson	43	Woodsman	Lawrence, Mass	1st	Rev. Wm. Porter Niles Nashua
		Anna Sinvenie	Nashua	38	At Home	Canada	1st	
Mar. 3	Hudson	Alfred H. McAfee	Hudson	38	Textile Operative	Nashua	1st	Rev. Geo. Edward Brown Hudson
		Eva E. Gowing	Hudson	32	Milliner	Hudson	1st	
April 6	Nashua	Leland E. Howard	Wilmot Flat	21	Machinist	Andover	1st	Rev. Mathew Creamer Nashua
		Grace H. Harwood	Hudson	22	Book-keeper	Nashua	1st	
April 11	Nashua	Joseph D. Audet	Nashua	28	Clerk	Lewiston, Me.	1st	Rev. Horm. Tetreau Nashua
		Marie A. Consigny	Hudson	20	Mill Operative	Nashua	1st	
May 7	Hudson	Edward M. Parker	"	25	Shoe Worker	Hudson	1st	Rev. R. J. Honeywell Hudson
		Grace M. Phillips	"	26	Teacher	Hudson	1st	
June 15	Hudson	Vernon S. Brown	"	24	Book-keeper	Derry	1st	Rev. R. J. Honeywell Hudson
		Lilla L. Wilshire	"	21	Stenographer	New York State	1st	
June 20	Nashua	Hormidas E Brodeur	Nashua	22	Packer, Card Shop	Montreal, Can.	1st	Rev. Mathew Creamer Nashua
		Bertha Duval	Hudson	21	Shoe Worker	Milford	1st	
June 26	Hudson	Anacleto Curti	Cambridge, Mass	29	Florist	Italy	2d	Rev. R. J. Honeywell Hudson
		Olive P. Drewett	Hudson	24	At Home	Boston Mass.	1st	
July 2	Nashua	Deering G. Smith	Hudson	25	Physician	Hudson	1st	Rev. Henry H. French Nashua
		Mary S Hamblett	Nashua	25	Teacher	Nashua	1st	
Aug. 9	Derry	Christian D. Christensen	Hartford, Conn.	27	Machnist	Hartford, Conn	2d	Rev. Frederick J. Kelley Derry
		Ada M. Winslow	Chicopee, Mass	25	At Home	Nashua	2d	
Sept. 7	Manchester	George G Baluts	Hudson	25	Shoemaker	Greece	1st	Rev. George Poulios Manchester
		Cortena Tsvoulea	"	23	Mill Operative	Greece	1st	
Sept. 9	Nashua	John D. Dugan, Jr.	"	19	Card Shop	Nashua	1st	Geo. E. Lyman, J. of P. Nashua
		Esther R. Canavan	Nashua	19	Stenographer	Dorchester, Mass	1st	
Sept. 22	Nashua	Moise Martin	Hudson	36	Farmer	Canada	1st	Rev. W. H. Morrison Nashua
		Marie R. Pelletier	Hudson	25	Housework	France	2d	
Sept. 24	Nashua	Frank N. Park	Nashua	29	Cement Worker	Syracuse, N. Y.	1st	Rev. Otto Lyding Nashua
		Gladys M. Thompson	Hudson	27	Clerk	Nashua	1st	
Nov. 1	Nashua	E. Emmett Donnelly	Hudson	19	Card Shop	Hudson	1st	Fred N. Putnam, J. of P. Nashua
		Lillian M. Lambert	Nashua	18	Clerk	Nashua	1st	
Dec. 20	Nashua	Herbert W. Dandley	Hudson	22	Milk Dealer	"	1st	Rev. Roy J. Honeywell Hudson
		Josephine M. O'Neil	Nashua	20	Mill Operative	"	1st	

Deaths registered in the Town of Hudson, for the year ending December 31, 1921.

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age Y	Age M	Age D	Place of Birth	Sex	Single Mar. Wid.	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 15	Hudson	Leo P. Lavoie	2	2	19	Nashua	M	S		Joseph Lavoie	Marie A. Thibadeau
Jan. 19	"	Alfred L. Simpson	60	7	8	Methuen, Mass.	"	M	Farmer	Samuel R. Simpson	Sabrina Tibbetts
Feb. 9	"	Annie L. Fish	44	6	23	Hudson	F	"	At Home	Henry C. Robinson	Addie Merrill
Mar. 2	"	Charles H. Inman	80	7	2	Sutton, Mass.	M	W	Farmer	James Inman	Charlett Collar
April 14	"	Lucy P. Davis	47	4	10	Jefferson City, Mo.	F	M	At Home	Neimiah Fuller	Maria Fuller
April 24	"	Clarence A. Slate	65	8	1	Londonderry	M	"	Color Mixer	Lyman J. Slate	Abbie B. Worthen
May 19	"	Lorette Richard	..	..	15	Hudson	F	S		Alphonse Richard	Mary Lami
June 21	"	George W. Clyde	55	7	29	Dracut, Mass.	M	M	Attorney	Samuel W. Clyde	Hannah J. Boles
July 7	"	Henry Sinclair	68	1	1	Rye	"	"	Switchman	Wm. M. Sinclair	Mary Downs
July 17	"	Joseph Consigny	63	8	..	Canada	"	"	Laborer	Jean B. Consigny	——— Bouselle
July 20	"	Josephine Bourrassa	74	..	..	Canada	F	"		Joseph Langlois	Elizabeth Roy
Aug. 15	"	Joseph A. Briand	..	7	15	Hudson	M	S		Auguste Briand	Leonie Pelletier
Aug. 20	"	Aneta Metsiou	..	3	..	Hudson	F	"		Peter Metsiou	Panagiota Hatsoglo
Aug. 22	"	Leon H. Marquis	1	..	13	Lowell, Mass.	M	"		George Marquis	Eva Larose
Sept. 7	"	Louis Tessier	71	10	..	Canada	"	M	Farmer	Louis Tessier	Theatesle Bourquet
Sept. 20	"	Ina M. Runnells	34	11	24	Antrim	F	"	At Home	Albert F. Baxter	Ida A. Young
Sept. 27	"	Malvina Gauthier	67	10	1	Canada	"	"		Arnable Chabot	Phebe Etier
Oct. 13	"	Jennie E. Lamon	52	8	13	Providence, R. I.	"	"	Housewife	Rufus Dube	Julia St. George
Nov. 13	"	Robert L. Cavanaugh	..	7	23	Boston, Mass.	M	S		Willis L. Hall	Hattie Hadley
Nov. 23	"	Brinton M. Webster	57	1	17	E. Cambridge, Mass.	"	M	Clergyman	Nathan P. Webster	Susan Morrison
Dec. 16	"	Remon Martin	..	..	1	Hudson	"	S		Moise Martin	Marie Pelletier
Dec. 17	"	Ceorge Martin	..	..	2	Hudson	"	"		" "	" "
Dec. 27	"	Joseph Lefebre	78	7	7	Canada	"	W	Retired	Joseph Lefebre	Camille Poulin
Dec. 29	"	George A. Brodeur	..	..	7	Nashua	"	S		Hormidos Brodeur	Bertha Duval

I hereby certify that the foregoing records of the Vital Statistics of the Town of Hudson for the year ending December 31, 1921, are correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN J. BAKER, *Town Clerk.*